



Potential Cosmetics Applications

Tanning oil

Coconut Oil increases the speed of the tanning process and produces a deep, lasting tan.

Skin & body lotions/massage oil

It's an excellent moisturiser that quickly absorbs into the skin, making it soft but not greasy, it helps in the removal of the outer layer of dead skin cells making your skin smoother and soft.

Hair shampoos & conditioners

It can help restore the protein loss of damaged hair when; it also helps also in prevention of falling hair and encourages hair growth.

Skin ointments/creams

It helps in the relief of dry, rough and wrinkled skin, as well as for psoriasis & eczema sufferers.

Antiseptic fatty acids in coconut oil help to prevent fungal and bacterial infections in the skin when it is consumed and to some extent, when it is applied directly to the skin.

Coconut Oil

Cocos Nucifera Oil

Grades: Refined/Organic Refined/Hydrogenated/MCT
Pack Size: 5kg/12.5kg/25kg/180kg/850kg

The Coconut is mainly grown in tropical areas, especially Africa and South East Asia. The seed within the coconut consists of 'milk' and a solid called the copra, which contains about 65% lipids. Coconut Oil can be obtained by cold pressing the flesh found inside the shell of the coconut; however other methods such as solvent extraction are used.

The oil itself has a distinctive, recognised odour and is stable when exposed to air. However the oil has a low viscosity and solidifies at 0 degrees.

Coconut Oil is a fat consisting of about 90% saturated fat. The oil contains predominantly medium chain triglycerides, with roughly 92% saturated fatty acids, 6% monounsaturated fatty acids, and 2% polyunsaturated fatty acids. Of the saturated fatty acids, Coconut Oil is primarily 44.6% lauric acid, 16.8% myristic acid a 8.2% palmitic acid and 8% caprylic acid, although it contains seven different saturated fatty acids in total.

Coconut Oil is rich in natural antioxidants and particularly vitamin E, which have a protective effect against free radicals that can contribute to aging, cancer and cardiovascular disease.

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